

571—47.36 (321G) Selection criteria. For application reviews and for the groomer review and selection process, the following evaluation criteria shall be considered:

1. Primary and secondary trail miles and connectivity to other trail systems.
2. Maintenance and management of existing trails.
3. Projects located in high trail demand areas.
4. Projects located in areas having sustained and adequate snow cover each year.
5. The applicant's historical record on grant expenditures, grooming records, trail marking, and compliance with cooperative agreements.
6. Sponsor level of in-kind contributions and program volunteer efforts.
7. Trail development plan.
8. Level of available program funds.

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